

REMARKS

Upon entry of the foregoing amendments claims 1, 3-5, 7-19 and 32-36 will be pending in the application. Claim 1 is the only independent claim.

Explanation of and Support for the Amendments

Claim 1 has been amended by incorporating the subject matter of original claim 6 into claim 1.

Claims 3, 7-9, 16-19 and 32 have been amended to take into account the amendment to claim 1, to make grammatical or typographical corrections or to place the claims in better U.S. patent claim format.

Since no new matter has been added by any of the amendments, entry of the amendments is respectfully requested.

Based on a telephone interview between the undersigned attorney and the Examiner of May 27, 2010, the Examiner requested an oral election in response to an oral restriction requirement. During a telephone interview with the Examiner of June 1, 2010, the undersigned attorney informed the Examiner that this Second Preliminary Amendment would be filed June 1, 2010, and provisionally elected, with traverse, the composition claims 1, 3-5 and 7-19, based on the present Second Preliminary Amendment.

An early examination of the amended claims on their merits and an early Notice of Allowance are also respectfully requested.

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